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Washington, D. C., Apr. 18th 1892

Supt. U. S. Mint.
Philadelphia, Pa.
Dear Sir:—

The return for
\$100.⁰⁵ is received and I am positively
that is not correct. The above was
valued at 200.⁰⁰ dollars. I am a
practical jeweler and I test the
bullion before I send it to you, the
gold was near 20 gr. and nearly all
14 K. and is worth 200.⁰⁰ dollars.
So please look into this and send
balance of money, as I am sure
a mistake has been made.

If I don't receive a satisfied answer
I will report to the Secretary of
the Treasury.

Waiting a reply I remain

Respectfully yours
S. Desio

257 fine

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S. Desio,
Artistic Diamond Jewelry a Specialty.
Washington, D.C.,
November 18, 1892

Supt. U.S. Mint:
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir: -

The return for \$100.05 is received and I am positively that is not correct. The above was valued at 200.00 dollars. I am a practical jeweler and I test the bullion before I sent it to you, the gold was near 20 oz and nearly all 14K and is worth 200.00 dollars. So please look in to this and send balance of money, as I am sure a mistake has been made.

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